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TAGS: BEXP, TD

SUBJ: MAJOR PROJECTS: TELECOMMUNICATIONS SWITCHING SYSTEM

REF: STATE 179155

INASMUCH AS THE TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO TELEPHONE CO., LTD.  
IS A GOVERNMENT-OWNED ENTITY AND HAS ASKED FOR BIDS FOR  
THE INSTALLATION OF THIS EQUIPMENT, WE DOUBT THAT SERIOUS  
WORK PERMIT PROBLEMS WOULD ARISE IN THE CASE OF A FEW  
FOREIGN INSTALLATION TECHNICIANS OR ADVISORS. NEVERTHELESS,  
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THAT THEY WOULD BE INTEREST AND THAT THEY REPRESENT  
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